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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Saburo SONE et al.

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) Group Art Unit: 1632

Application No.: 09/864,364

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) Examiner: Li, Qian J.

Filed: May 25, 2001

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) For: NON-HUMAN ANIMAL
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Applicants now respond to the Final Office Action mailed June 3, 2003. A

Request for Continued Examination, Petition for Three Month Extension of Time, and required fees are being filed herewith. Accordingly, applicants respectfully request that the Examiner remove the finality of the Office Action.

Please amend the application as follows:

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